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In re application of

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Title: USE OF SILVER GENE FOR THE AUTHENTICATION OF THE RACIAL ORIGIN OF ANIMAL POPULATIONS, AND OF THE DERIVATIVE PRODUCTS THEREOF

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 May 2, 2008

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 2, 2008, Applicants respectfully request that the record of the application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 15 of this paper.